

[54] MEANS FOR RELEASABLY BINDING AN ALBUM COVER AND ALBUM PAGES TOGETHER

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ABSTRACT

An album comprises a front cover, rear cover, a back member connected to the front and rear covers, a plurality of album pages each having hinge elements thereon, and a pair of hinge supporting members on the inner surface of the back member. Each of the album pages has means thereon which define a pair of hinge elements that releasably engage the hinge supporting members. The hinge supporting members are each comprised of a base having a plurality of hinge engaging elements integrally formed therewith and projecting outwardly from one surface thereof. The hinge engaging elements of each supporting member have an enlarged end, thus permitting the hinge elements of each page to be inserted between a plurality of the hinge retaining elements so as to releasably lock the album pages to the hinge supporting members. The album pages are swingable relative to the hinge supporting members, thus permitting the album to be opened into completely flat condition. The album pages may be readily removed from the hinge supporting members or may be added thereto, as desired.

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